Morning Order of Worship

Sioux Center United Reformed Church
Sunday, November 15, 2026

OPENING OF SERVICE

* Call to Worship
* Prayer of Invocation
* God's Greeting
* Psalm of Praise: 96:1-4,6 *Sing to the Lord, Sing His Praise*

SERVICE OF RECONCILIATION

Call to Confession
Hymn of Confession: 467 *Cast Down, O God, the Idols*
Assurance of Pardon

SERVICE OF GRATITUDE

Responsive Reading of the Law from the Epistles
Congregational Prayer

SERVICE OF THE WORD

* Psalm of Preparation: 115B:1,2,5 *Not unto Us, O Lord of Heaven*

Prayer of Illumination
Scripture: 1 Thessalonians 1:8-10
Message: **THE MARKS OF GENUINE CONVERSION**
Prayer of Application

CLOSING OF SERVICE

* Hymn of Response: 265 *In Christ Alone*

Offertory Prayer
Hymn of Thanksgiving: 552 *Come, Ye Thankful People, Come*
Offering: Christian Education Fund (received during song)

* Benediction
* Doxology: 565 *Praise Ye the Lord, Ye Hosts Above* (unannounced)

**Please stand if you are able*

THE MARKS OF GENUINE CONVERSION

Scripture: 1 Thessalonians 1:8-10
November 15, 2026 AM
Rev. Jon Bushnell

1. A Faith that Makes the Gospel Known (v. 8)

2. A Life that Serves the Living and True God (v. 9)

3. A Hope that Awaits the Returning Savior (v. 10)

Questions for Personal and Family Devotions

1. Who has God placed in your life right now who might need to hear something about the hope you have in Christ?
2. How does serving the Lord affect the way you approach your work, treat your spouse, raise your children, or interact with your neighbors?
3. Are you so absorbed in the responsibilities and concerns of this present world that you sometimes lose sight of the eternal future God has promised you?
4. How does knowing that Jesus has delivered you from the wrath to come change the way you think about your standing before God?

Evening Order of Worship

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THE CHURCH GATHERS TOGETHER

* Call to Worship
* Prayer of Invocation
* God's Greeting
* Psalm of Praise: 9B *Wholehearted Thanksgiving*

TO AFFIRM OUR FAITH

* Apostles' Creed (pg. 851)
* Hymn of Response: 164 *God Himself Is with Us*

TO PRAISE GOD

Psalm 32
Psalm of Praise: 32A *What Blessedness Belongs to Him*

FOR SERVICE OF GRATITUDE

Congregational Prayer

TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

* Hymn of Preparation: 183 *O That I Had a Thousand Voices*

Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 24, Q/A 64 (pg. 882)
Prayer of Illumination
Scripture: Romans 6:1-4
Message: **ARE WE CARELESS?**
Prayer of Application

AND DEPARTS TO SERVE

* Hymn of Response: 477 *By Grace I Am an Heir of Heaven*

Offertory Prayer
Hymn of Thanksgiving: 181 *Now Thank We All Our God*
Offering: General Fund (offering received during song)

* Benediction
* Doxology: 160:1,2 *Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise*

(unannounced)

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ARE WE CARELESS?

Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 24, Q/A 64
Scripture: Romans 6:1-4
November 15, 2026 PM
Dr. J. P. Mosley, Jr.

Our justified standing before the Father leads us toward a righteous life.

1. Sin for Grace (vv. 1-2)

    a. What Shall We Say? (v. 1)

    b. Certainly Not! (v. 2)

2. Grace in Christ (vv. 3-4)

    a. Baptized in Christ (v. 3)

    b. Newness of Life (v. 4)

Questions for Personal and Family Devotions

1. What does this text teach you to believe?
2. Is there a promise to remember?
3. What does this text teach you to do?
4. Is there a sin to avoid, a fruit to pursue, a warning to listen to, an example to follow?